

To Whom It May Concern:

The University of Miami student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers, UM-ASCE, is the most active and largest student organization in the College of Engineering. As an active and growing student organization, our goals can only be realized through the generosity and support of company and private sponsors. For the 2011-2012 academic year, our goal is to raise \$10,000.

Throughout the year, our members participate in company presentations, Miami-Dade branch meetings and younger member forums, career guidance seminars, fieldtrips to local construction sites, national design competitions, student leadership conferences, community service and outreach events, and tutoring services for the CAE department. In our biggest event each year, UM-ASCE attends the ASCE Southeast Student Conference, where over 800 students participate in various civil engineering competitions. At the 2011 Southeast Student Conference, hosted by Tennessee Tech University, UM-ASCE placed 5th overall and ranked top three in 5 out of the 12 small competitions.

We ask for your support through not only sponsorship but also via provision of knowledge and skills to our members. As more students get involved, we would like to continue providing them with the chance to interact with fellow students and professionals and to foster growth at an important stage in their careers. This growth allows us to invite partners and sponsors to campus to give presentations and reach an ever growing pool of talented future engineers for recruitment at leading firms.

If you have any questions or would like to become involved in our chapter, please do not hesitate to contact us directly via our chapter email (umasce@gmail.com). Your donation and support will be greatly appreciated.

Thank You,

The logo for the University of Miami ASCE chapter, featuring a stylized 'U' in orange and green followed by 'ASCE' in black.Handwritten signature of Michaela Walker in black ink.

Michaela Walker
President

Handwritten signature of Jannelle Chaviano in black ink.

Jannelle Chaviano
Vice President External

Handwritten signature of Steven Schuering in black ink.

Steven Schuering
Past-President

2010-2011 Events

Meetings



General Meeting



End of the Year Banquet



Fieldtrip: Airport Metro Line



Younger Member Forum



Career Guidance Symposium

Miami Dade Branch ASCE

Community Service



Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure



West Miami Middle School Presentation



West Point Bridge Competition



Alumni Tailgate



Friday at Friday's

Alumni Events

Southeast Student Conference



2011 Concrete Canoe



Visual Display Competition



2011 Steel Bridge



Cheering on Canoe Races



Surveying Competition



Banquet after winning 5th place



Concrete Canoe Races



Horseshoe Competition



Steel Bridge Competition: Construction



After the Canoe Races



Geotechnical Competition

Sponsorship Categories

In thanks for your contribution, your company logo will be displayed on the Conference T-Shirt, our website (www.umasce.com) with a corresponding link to your website, and in our local Branch newsletter. Any promotional materials you would like to be distributed to our members are welcomed.

Category 5 Hurricane Sponsor (\$2500)

Support UM-ASCE in its annual endeavors inclusive of: Southeast Student Conference competitions and logistics, company meetings, Miami Dade Branch functions, fieldtrips to construction sites, and community service outreach. *Your company logo will also be showcased on our conference trailer.*

Concrete Canoe Sponsor (\$1000)

Support the Concrete Canoe competition requiring many materials and man power to construct a mold, create a lightweight concrete mix, and then compete in the different categories of overall display, presentation to judges, paper, and finally the 5 different races in the canoe.

Steel Bridge Sponsor (\$1000)

The Steel Bridge competition is representative of a problem faced by structural engineers in which students design and fabricate a 20 foot steel bridge holding 2500 pounds, with an allowable deflection of 2 inches. In 2011, the Steel Bridge placed 1st in overall bridge stiffness, deflecting only 0.13" in the midspan.

Small Event Sponsor (\$500)

At conference, approximately 13 competitions are considered "small events." In the past, competitions have been visual display, geotechnical engineering, surveying, transportation, and environmental engineering. In 2011, UM-ASCE placed 1st in the Hydraulics, Hydrology, and Visual Display competitions as well as 3rd in the Environmental competition.

Send a Student to Conference Sponsor (\$400)

The experience of conference can only be measured by how much a student gains from the experience. Help UM-ASCE send a student to Conference and provide for his/her registration fees, lodging, and transportation.

Meeting Sponsor (\$200)

Your company is eligible to present at a UM-ASCE meeting about a chosen topic. This support provides for food and refreshments at the meeting to ensure a good turnout of students. Due to limited time, we will be able to have 3 company presentations per semester. Any company information and/or marketing material you wish to provide will be announced and distributed at our meeting. *If you are interested in presenting to UM-ASCE, please indicate on the Commitment Form.*

SPONSORSHIP COMMITMENT FORM

Please return this form with your check.

We will gladly appreciate any size donation.

Company Name: _____

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Sponsorship Package:

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___ *Concrete Canoe (\$1000)*

___ *Steel Bridge (\$1000)*

___ *Small Event (\$500)*

___ *Send a Student to Conference (\$400)*

___ *Meeting (\$200)*

___ *Other:* _____

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